

SURF LIFE SAVING ASSOCIATION
OF AUSTRALIA

16th
Annual
Report

and

Financial
Statements



SEASON 1964-65

SYDNEY BRANCH

"Vigilance and Service"

SURF LIFE SAVING ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

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Notice is hereby given that the 16th Annual General Meeting of the Surf Life Saving Association of Australia, Sydney Branch, will be held in the Aquatic Club, 2 Riley Street, Sydney, on Tuesday, September 7, 1965, commencing at 7 p.m.

A G E N D A

1. Minutes of the 15th Annual General Meeting, held on Tuesday, September 1, 1964. (Minutes of the 15th Annual General Meeting have been previously circulated and on a motion carried at the Branch Council, a recommendation has been made for their adoption.)
2. Club affiliations and accreditation of Club Delegates.
3. Apologies.
4. Presentation of 16th Annual Report for Season 1964-65.
5. Presentation of Audited Financial Statement for Season 1964-65.
6. Election of Officers.
7. Election of Committees.
8. Confirmation of Board of Examiners' Officers and Committees.
9. Allocation of Carnival dates for season 1965-66.
10. General Business -
 - (a) Correspondence
 - (b) Reports
 - (c) As may occur

GUS B. STAUNTON,

Honorary Secretary,
Surf Life Saving Assn. of Aust.,
Sydney Branch.

SURF LIFE SAVING ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

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OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

SEASON 1964-65

Patron

The Right Hon. the Lord Mayor of Sydney, Ald. H.F. Jensen

Vice-Patrons

Ald. D. Morey, Mayor of Waverley

Ald. W. Haigh, Mayor of Randwick

Cr. K. Bates, Sutherland Shire Council

J. Ferguson, Royal Nat. Park Trust

D. Curtin, M.H.R.

F.J. Palmer

L. Johnson, M.H.R.

L.J. Hooker

S. Einfeld, M.H.R.

C.O.J. Monro

J. Renshaw, M.L.A.

W. Stephenson (Radio 2SM)

C. Kelly, M.L.A.

A. McRae (Speedo)

A. Landa, M.L.A.

D. Golder (B.P. Aust. Ltd.)

R. Heffron, M.L.A.

K. Wilson (Astor Radio)

K. Doyle, M.L.A.

H. Alce (Millers Brewery)

I. Griffiths, M.L.A.

R. Delohery (Schweppes)

L. Walsh, M.L.A.

G. Doherty (Slazengers)

Judge J. Harvey Prior

J. Tier (Sun Newspapers)

Sir Norman Nock

K. Rowlands (Philip Morris)

Sir Edward Hallstrom

C. Jones (Columbia Pictures)

R. McPhillips

N. Ridge (Greater Union)

J. Jennings

R. O'Keefe

President

A.R. Loton

Deputy President

D.C. Lucas

Vice-Presidents

W. Crain, E. Sier, A. Staunton, E. Stephens
and Presidents of all Affiliated Clubs

Trustees

W. Crain, A. Loton, G. Staunton

Hon. Secretary

G.B. Staunton

Hon. Assistant Secretary
J. Vaughan

Hon. Legal Officer
W. Crain

Hon. Treasurer
K. Lonsdale

Hon. Publicity Officer
M. George

Hon. Assistant Treasurer
J. Needham

Hon. Branch Superintendent
J. Switzer

Hon. Registrar
H. Brown

Hon. Deputy Branch Superintendent
A. Moseley

Hon. Assistant Registrar
A. Jordan

Hon. Sec., Board of Examiners
J. Vaughan

Hon. Insurance Officer
B. Regan

Hon. Auditor
A. Smith

Hon. District Supervisors

No.1 District - R. Davison

No.3 District - B. Brewin

No.2 District - P. Ainsworth

No.4 District - W. Young

Hon. Assistant District Supervisors

No.1 District - D. Medlin

No.3 District - K. Messenger

No.2 District - A. Jordan

No.4 District - D. Fryer

Hon. Boat Inspector
G. Challis

Hon. Gear Steward
A. Moseley

Delegates to N.S.W. State Centre

G. Staunton (Council and Management), J. Vaughan (Council)

Executive - Delegates

H. Durant (Burning Palms), W. Hodges (Cronulla), R. Horton (Bondi),

A. Jordan (Nth Cronulla), F. Osborne (Era), R. Spankie (Sth Maroubra).

Points Recorders

A. Jordan, K. Messenger

Hon. Medical Advisors

Doctors B. Clifton, G. Cummins, Elliot-Smith, R. Gray, N. Hing,
R. Holland.

Judiciary Committee

H. Brown, R. Buist, +W. Crain, D. Lucas, J. Marsden.

Life Membership Committee

W. Crain, R. Howells, +A. Loton, J. Marsden, J. Switzer.

Boat Committee

+G. Challis, N. Dixon, D. Fryer, M. Singleton, L. Trim.

Constitution Committee

W. Crain, A. Loton, +J. Vaughan.

Gear Improvement Committee

R. Howells, +D. Lucas, J. Marsden, A. Moseley, R. Sargeant,
J. Switzer, J. Vaughan.

Branch Selection Committee

P. Ainsworth, A. Jordan, J. Marsden, A. Moseley, +J. Switzer.

Competition Conditions Committee

P. Ainsworth, R. Buist, A. Jordan, A. Moseley, +J. Switzer.

Finance, Purchases & Contracts Committee

H. Brown, +K. Lonsdale, A. Loton, J. Needham, J. Vaughan.

Resuscitation Committee

L. Buck, J. Cooksley, J. Marsden, A. Moseley, F. Osborne,
R. Sargeant, J. Switzer.

Meritorious Awards Committee

L. Johnson, D. Lucas, R. McKenna, A. Moseley, E. Sier,
J. Switzer, J. Vaughan.

Gear Inspection Committee

P. Ainsworth, K. Andrews, R. Bear, C. Christiansen, R. Davison,
N. Dixon, R. Horton, G. Johnson, A. Jordan, K. Lonsdale, D. Lucas,
L. McNamara, J. Marsden, K. Messenger, K. Midson, M. Moroney,
A. Moseley, W. Neal, K. Russell, M. Santos, H. Spurway.

Beach Football

President: F. Norton

+Convenor.

N.B. The Branch Hon. Secretary is ex-officio a member of all
Branch Committees, excluding Board Committees.

FOREWORD

In the following pages will be found a record of the work of the Sydney Branch of the Surf Life Saving Association of Australia, and it will be seen that the members of our Clubs and Branch have proudly and faithfully upheld the motto of the Association during the past surfing year.

Justifiably, and so ought it to be perhaps, it is claimed that Sydney is the leading Branch of the Association, and it is only by our continued deeds and leadership that we shall be able to maintain this record.

Changing circumstances and the way of life of particularly the younger members, have been a challenge to our organisation, but this continues to be met and has seen some alteration in the administration of our Clubs. The growing need for greater amenities in Clubhouses is one to which all Clubs, I think, have given some consideration and acted with beneficial results to themselves, but this has necessitated considerable effort.

The fruit of this has been that the surfing public on Sydney beaches was well protected, and the accepted voluntary public service provided by our members maintained.

May the movement continue to prosper.

A.R. LOTON, B.Ec.

President,
Surf Life Saving Assn. of Aust.,
Sydney Branch.

FOR WORK

In the following pages will be found a record of the work of the Sydney Branch of the Red Cross Association of Australia, and it will be seen that the members of our Clubs and Branches have proudly and faithfully followed the motto of the Association during the past year.

Justifiably, and as every one is aware, it is claimed that Sydney is the leading branch of the Association, and it is only by our continued efforts and leadership that we shall be able to maintain this position.

Changing circumstances and the way of life of particularly the younger members, have been a hindrance to our organization, but this condition is to be met and met soon some alteration in the administration of our Clubs. The growing need for greater activities in the branches is one to which all Clubs, I think, have given some consideration and acted with beneficial results to themselves, but this has necessitated considerable effort.

The result of this has been that the public on Sydney has been well protected, and the Red Cross voluntary public service has been maintained, and our members have been able to continue their work with confidence and courage.

REPORT OF THE SYDNEY BRANCH, 1910, 1911.

President,
Red Cross Association of Aust.,
Sydney Branch.

SURF LIFE SAVING ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

SYDNEY BRANCH

A N N U A L R E P O R T

To be presented to the 16th Annual General Meeting of the Surf Life Saving Association of Australia, Sydney Branch, to be held in the Aquatic Club, 2 Riley Street, Sydney, on Tuesday, September 7, 1965, commencing at 7 p.m.

Mr. President,

Gentlemen,

It is my pleasant duty to again submit for your perusal and adoption this, the 16th Annual Report of the Sydney Branch.

The Sydney Branch, because of its geographical position, its huge membership of qualified lifesavers and the high standard of its Clubs, will always be a vital link in the expanding chain of lifesaving.

As members of this Branch, we should be conscious of our heritage and should examine all matters of our application to lifesaving and service to the public with the most critical eye.

I contend, Mr. President and gentlemen, that Sydney Branch has been diligent in applying itself to its task and that our Clubs have been vigilant in safeguarding our surfing public.

Room for improvement will always be present since perfection is always the elusive aim of mankind in all his strivings.

The form adopted in previous seasons for submitting the report has again been followed and I trust this journal will be factual in matter and easy to follow in style.

Branch Council.

The governing body of surfing in our Branch is the Council and any Club or any Officer who does not seize the opportunity presented by the free interchange and right to vote, disfranchise themselves or himself from lifesaving.

Our appreciation is extended to the Aquatic Club for the congenial meeting facilities available to us on the first Tuesday of each month.

The greatest single factor which impresses with the Council is the harmony which exists at all levels.

The meetings normally commence at 7 p.m. and are, in most cases, concluded well before 9.30 p.m.; indeed, not on one occasion in the last season did the meeting go in excess of 10.30 p.m.

Full minutes of each meeting are circulated to all Clubs, Delegates and Officers and it behoves each Delegate, Club President and Secretary to ensure that matters of importance are brought to the notice of their Club.

Attendances have been, on the whole, good, but some Clubs continue to elect to the position of Delegate, members who cannot or will not carry out their duties correctly and this situation should be adjusted.

Attendance Record of Branch Officers, Club Delegates and Presidents:

<u>Officers</u>	<u>Possible</u>	<u>Attended</u>	<u>Apology</u>	<u>Absent</u>
A. Loton, President	12	11	1	-
D. Lucas, Deputy President	12	8	4	-
W. Crain, Vice-President	12	11	1	-
E. Sier, Vice-President	12	5	5	2
A. Staunton, Vice-President	12	8	3	1
E. Stephens, Vice-President	12	10	1	1
G. Staunton, Hon. Secretary	12	11	1	-
J. Vaughan, Assistant Secretary	12	12	-	-
K. Lonsdale, Hon. Treasurer	12	9	3	-
J. Needham, Assistant Treasurer	12	6	3	3
H. Brown, Registrar	12	10	-	2
A. Jordan, Assistant Registrar	12	9	1	2
B. Regan, Insurance Officer	12	6	2	4
M. George, Publicity Officer	12	9	2	1
J. Switzer, Superintendent	12	12	-	-
A. Moseley, Deputy Superintendent	12	9	2	1
R. Davison, No.1 Dist. Supervisor	12	8	2	2
P. Ainsworth, No.2 Dist. "	12	3	-	9
B. Brewin, No.3 Dist. "	12	-	-	12
W. Young, No.4 Dist. "	12	6	-	6
D. Medlin, No.1 Asst. Supervisor	12	-	-	12
A. Jordan, No.2 " "	12	9	1	2
K. Messenger, No.3 " "	12	7	1	4
D. Fryer, No.4 " "	12	-	-	12
G. Challis, Boat Inspector	12	8	2	2

<u>Club Delegates</u>		<u>Possible</u>	<u>Attended</u>	<u>Proxy</u>	<u>Apology</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Bondi:	C. Baldock	12	10	1	1	-
	R. Horton	12	10	1	1	-
Bronte:	F. Gilroy	5	-	1	2	2
	R. Bazeley	7	2	-	3	2
	M. Singleton	12	8	-	-	4
Burning Palms:	H. Durant	12	11	-	1	-
	V. Sinclair	12	7	1	1	3
Clovelly:	P. Beer	12	9	1	-	2
	N. Smith	12	8	2	-	2
Coogee:	W. Neal	12	6	-	1	5
	K. Messenger	12	7	1	1	3
Cronulla:	J. Kennedy	12	4	3	2	3
	W. Hodges	12	9	-	1	2
Era:	T. Miller	12	5	2	-	5
	F. Osborne	12	7	-	1	4
Garie:	F. Bresnan	7	5	-	1	1
	B. Cleary	5	3	-	-	2
	G. Quinn	8	3	1	2	2
	R. Law	4	1	-	-	3
Maroubra:	C. Condon	5	-	1	-	4
	M. Cant	5	2	-	-	3
	T. Condon	10	7	-	-	3
	J. Gallagher	2	2	-	-	-
	G. Thorn	2	2	-	-	-
North Bondi:	W. Hayes	12	4	1	2	5
	L. Kirkness	8	1	1	1	5
	E. Davis	4	1	-	-	3
Nth Cronulla:	A. Jordan	12	9	-	1	2
	K. Russell	12	4	-	-	8
Sth Maroubra:	R. Spankie	12	6	-	1	5
	D. McElhinney	6	4	1	-	1
	A. Kitchen	6	3	-	1	2
Tamarama:	R. Sheldon	12	12	-	-	-
	R. Wormleaton	12	7	-	2	3
Wanda:	K. Lonsdale	12	9	-	3	-
	A. Ryan	12	6	-	3	3

<u>Club Presidents</u>	<u>Possible</u>	<u>Attended</u>	<u>Apology</u>	<u>Absent</u>
T. Meagher, Bondi	12	1	-	11
F. Norton, Bronte	12	9	3	-
F. Edmonds, Burning Palms	12	1	-	11
D. Stait, Clovelly	12	-	-	12
J. Cannot, Coogee	12	-	-	12
<u>W. Marshall</u> , Cronulla	12	<u>12</u>	-	-
R. Miller, Era	12	9	1	2
R. Hoffmann, Garie	12	7	1	4
S. Baker, Maroubra	10	1	-	9
J. Shore, Maroubra	2	2	-	-
C. Christensen, North Bondi	12	10	1	1
H. Brown, North Cronulla	12	10	-	2
L. Dynan, South Maroubra	12	8	-	4
R. Buist, Tamarama	12	<u>12</u>	-	-
K. Garthon, Wanda	12	<u>-</u>	-	12

BRANCH EXECUTIVE.

Since the closing of the Association Rooms in Hunter Street, the Executive has not met regularly and this is no doubt due to the difficulties associated with finding suitable times and venues.

The personnel of the Council and especially the Executive, is constantly changing and it would appear more and more Officers have places of business out of the inner-city area.

However, on occasions the Executive have been convened to consider matters of a pressing and urgent nature and it is pleasing to note the enthusiasm and attention displayed by our Executive leaves little to be desired.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

The Branch counts itself most fortunate to have the Board of Examiners available to act upon its behalf and in the best interests of lifesaving.

Branch Superintendent, Jim Switzer - Deputy Superintendent, 'Ike' Moseley - and Board Secretary, John Vaughan, are responsible for the organisation of the Board and are to be congratulated, together with each and every member.

An enormous number of examinations and carnivals are each season co-ordinated by the Board members and they never fail in their task.

Alterations to R. & R. drill procedure at the commencement of the season imposed a still additional burden. Prior to the season, a

Gear Stewards' Conference was held, similar to the annual Chief Instructors' meeting and this special Conference did much towards having the gear in such an excellent condition.

Members of the Board are listed below -

Honorary Branch Superintendent:	J. Switzer
Hon. Deputy Branch Superintendent:	A. Moseley
Honorary Secretary:	J. Vaughan
District Supervisors:	Assistant District Supervisors:
No.1: R. Davison	No.1: D. Medlin
No.2: P. Ainsworth	No.2: A. Jordan
No.3: B. Brewin	No.3: K. Messenger
No.4: W. Young	No.4: D. Fryer

Life Members:

V. Besemo	L. McDonald	A. Olson	J. Vaughan
A. Castleman	R. McKenna	A. Purcell	K. Watson
W. Foerster	J. Marsden	E. Sier	G. Williams
R. Howells	R. Michaelis	H. Small	V. Williams
G. Johnson	R. Moroney	J. Switzer	G. Wilson
D. Lucas			

Active Members:

P. Ainsworth	R. Davison	D. Medlin	J. Sayle
K. Andrews	N. Dixon	K. Messenger	V. Sedgwick
R. Avery	J. Donohoe	A. Metti	R. Sheldon
C. Baldock	W. Eady	K. Midson	R. Shephard
R. Bear	B. Ezzy	J. Minahan	R. Simmons
C. Brady	N. Ford	A. Moseley	V. Sinclair
B. Brewin	R. Fraser	W. Neal	H. Spurway
R. Bridges	D. Fryer	N. Neeld	P. Stapleton
E. Brooker	R. Hoffmann	J. Orrell	N. Stenhouse
J. Brown	J. Horton	F. Osborne	E. Stephens
L. Buck	R. Horton	D. Park	T. Trevillian
J. Casey	A. Jordan	J. Pepper	B. Tyquin
D. Cleary	A. Kelly	P. Phillips	B. Vaughan
C. Christiansen	R. Leix	G. Reeves	J. Vincent
P. Coles	K. Lonsdale	W. Rennie	A. Watts
J. Cooksley	P. McGuiggan	K. Russell	B. Walker
G. Cooper	L. McNamara	R. Sandstrom	J. Weber
R. Craig	K. Manton	M. Santos	W. Winzer
B. Crisp	W. Matthes	R. Sargeant	J. Young
R. Davey	J. Matthew		

Reserve Active Members:

H. Hodge, L. Johnson, V. Mulcahy, T. Wheeler.

Country Members:

K. Grant, G. Hogarth, M. Moroney, P. Seaton, J. Wardall, G. Wilson.

Attached Member:

J. Beasley - Central Coast Branch.

AWARDS.

The awards gained by the Sydney Branch Clubs are detailed in the list at the end of this report, but a comparison of the total for the Branch is made with previous years in the following table -

Comparison List of Awards:

	<u>1960-61</u>	<u>1961-62</u>	<u>1962-63</u>	<u>1963-64</u>	<u>1964-65</u>
Bronze Medallions	301	224	330	330	321
Instruct. Certs.	55	54	60	59	68
Qual. Certs.	85	97	66	47	99
<u>Total:</u>	<u>441</u>	<u>375</u>	<u>456</u>	<u>436</u>	<u>488</u>

Over the years, the increase in awards has been slight, but it is pleasing to note the increase in Qualifying Certificates, despite the lowering of the Bronze age to 15 years.

Undoubtedly, the "Nipper" Clubs which have been formed have had some influence this season and it is hoped that there will be a bigger influx in future seasons.

RESCUES.

As with the Awards, the rescues carried out by the individual Clubs are in the Branch summary and the totals for the Branch are compared,, in the table below, with previous seasons -

Comparison List of Rescues:

	<u>1960-61</u>	<u>1961-62</u>	<u>1962-63</u>	<u>1963-64</u>	<u>1964-65</u>
With line	713	834	627	710	879
With surf boat	64	49	16	66	19
Without line	514	1088	536	656	489
With other gear	81	53	235	76	105
<u>Total:</u>	<u>1372</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>1414</u>	<u>1508</u>	<u>1492</u>

There was a marked increase in the number of rescues "with line" and this is a reflection on the weather last summer. Rescues by other means were roughly as usual.

However, the number of rescues carried out in the Branch does not reflect the amount of work carried out by our Clubs and it is a credit to the vigilance of the patrols that more rescues are not recorded. After all, every rescue is a potential tragedy and the Clubs are basically in the business of preventing rescues, rather than carrying out rescues. The instruction and demonstrations given by the Clubs in educating the surfing public are well worth the effort if the number of rescues is reduced.

MEMBERSHIP.

The active membership of the Branch has been static for some seasons, but it appears that the Clubs in the Branch can carry out their duties successfully with this number of members on patrol. However, all Clubs could use additional members and all efforts must be maintained to ensure recruitment of new members in order that our strength does not fall.

With the formation of "Nipper" Clubs in the Branch, there is a potential that must be tapped for future patrol members and these Clubs deserve all the assistance and encouragement that the Surf Clubs can give. Not only can they assist the Clubs, but the encouragement of the young people into a worthwhile and healthy sport is a grand object in itself.

A word should also be spoken at this time of the excellent work and support given to the active side of the Clubs by the Associate and other members of the Clubs. Their assistance in fund raising and helping at club functions and carnivals is appreciated by all and is a great credit to them.

A comparison of this year's membership with previous years is listed below -

Comparison List of Membership:

	<u>1960-61</u>	<u>1961-62</u>	<u>1962-63</u>	<u>1963-64</u>	<u>1964-65</u>
Active	1531	1526	1523	1546	1561
Reserve Active	950	808	918	777	949
Cadet	184	272	162	183	191
Associate	992	1194	970	1013	1010
Others				688	790
<u>Total:</u>	<u>3357</u>	<u>3800</u>	<u>3573</u>	<u>4207</u>	<u>4501</u>

CARNIVALS.

During this season, carnivals were conducted in Sydney Branch as below -

Garie	December 6, 1964.
Bondi	December 12, 1964.
North Cronulla	December 19, 1964.
Era - Burning Palms	January 3, 1965.
Wanda	January 9, 1965.
Maroubra	January 16, 1965.
Cronulla	January 23, 1965. (Branch Championships)
Coogee	February 13 & 14, 1965. (State Titles)
Bronte	February 27, 1965.

I would thank all the Clubs who held carnivals during the season. This competition is necessary to our work and the effort of the organising committees is appreciated by all who attended.

Special mention in this regard should be made of the Era and Burning Palms Clubs for their initiative in holding a combined open carnival at Era Beach; also the Bronte Club for reappearing on the carnival scene after so many years' absence.

Whilst our carnivals have always been efficiently conducted, the organisation required to run major carnivals on some of the smaller beaches in our Branch reflects credit on the committees who organise the carnivals and the Officials who conduct them.

SYDNEY BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS, CRONULLA BEACH, JANUARY 23, 1965.

The Branch Championships were this season conducted at Cronulla Beach and the somewhat restricted beach area was more than made up for by the organisation of the host Club, the Carnival Organiser and our Board Officials.

Weather conditions were favourable and all events concluded without incident.

After a close tussle, the Daily Mirror Trophy for the overall point score at the Carnival was won this year by Clovelly, 45½ points, with Cronulla, 43 points, second, Coogee 26 points third and North Bondi 23 points fourth.

Our appreciation is extended to Cronulla S.L.S.C. for its attention to the many requirements of an organising Club and our congratulations to all those competitors and Clubs who competed so successfully.

The details results are listed below -

- Senior R & R: 1. Cronulla; 2. Bondi; 3. Wanda.
Junior R & R: 1. Cronulla; 2. Bondi; 3. Wanda.
Senior Belt: 1. T. Buck (Clovelly); 2. R. Greenaway (Cronulla);
3. G. Elliott (Cronulla).
Junior Belt: 1. R. Green (Clovelly); 2. G. Rogers (Clovelly);
3. L. McLean (Cronulla).
Senior Surf: 1. T. Buck (Clovelly); 2. A. Wood (Cronulla);
3. R. Green (Clovelly).
Junior Surf: 1. R. Green (Clovelly); 2. G. Rogers (Clovelly);
3. E. Clingan (North Bondi).
Senior Teams: 1. Clovelly; 2. Bondi; 3. North Bondi.
Junior Teams: 1. Clovelly; 2. North Cronulla; 3. North Bondi.
Cadet Surf: 1. L. Emery (Bondi); 2. R. Silcock (Clovelly);
3. B. Falson (Wanda).
March Past: 1. North Bondi; 2. Maroubra; 3. Cronulla.

Beach Sprint: 1. B. Maiden (Coogee); 2. D. Burge (Coogee);
 3. B. Jones (North Cronulla).
Musical Flags: 1. L. Hawk (Coogee); 2. R. Lansdown (Coogee);
 3. G. Brandon (Coogee).
Pillow Fight: 1. G. Hardie (Clovelly); 2. M. Johnson (Nth Cronulla);
 3. W. Walsh (Nth Cronulla).
Beach Relay: 1. Coogee A; 2. North Cronulla; 3. Cronulla.
Cadet Beach Sprint (Non Championship): 1. M. Reid (North Cronulla);
 2. G. Goold (Cronulla); 3. G. Jones (Clovelly).
Cadet Musical Flags (Non Championship): 1. I. Potter (Cronulla);
 2. B. King (Cronulla); 3. G. Jones (Clovelly).
Senior Boat: 1. Cronulla; 2. Wanda; 3. Maroubra.
Junior Boat: 1. North Bondi; 2. Cronulla; 3. Maroubra B.
Surf Board: 1. A. Menzies (Bronte); 2. J. Salmon (Wanda);
 3. A. Coates (Maroubra).
Single Ski: 1. P. Coles (North Bondi); 2. E. Maloney (Coogee);
 3. G. Johnson (Maroubra).
Double Ski: 1. P. Coles & D. McGuire (North Bondi);
 2. B. Stewart & D. Green (South Maroubra);
 3. J. Bourne & Howles (North Cronulla).

METROPOLITAN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Early in the season, an approach was made by the Manly-Warringah Branch to turn our Annual 2SM Challenge Carnival into the Metropolitan Championships, with the competitors competing for titles in individual events. The proposal was agreed to, and on Saturday, February 6, the Championships were held at Newport.

They were a huge success and will undoubtedly continue in the future.

One of the features of the Carnival was the 2SM Interbranch Challenge Trophy and it was again annexed by Sydney Branch. Top scorer for Sydney was the Cronulla Club, and they now hold the Trophy for the Branch until next season.

Congratulations to Cronulla on winning the point score and to all those who won individual titles.

N.S.W. CHAMPIONSHIPS, COOGEE BEACH, FEBRUARY 13 & 14, 1965.

Although the Coogee Club have conducted a number of Branch Championships in the past, they have never had a State Championship Carnival and this year witnessed their debut in this sphere.

The members and Officers of Coogee S.L.S.C. can be justly proud of the result, especially so since this season we had the first of the Open State Championships.

Events were conducted over two days and the condition of the seas on other beaches was such that there is considerable doubt that the carnival could have concluded so successfully elsewhere.

The Carnival Organiser, Mr. Barry Cribb, assumed the gigantic task that is the lot of any organiser and is to be congratulated upon the result.

The Clovelly S.L.S.C. continued their outstanding performances of previous seasons and were successful in winning the Viscount Surf Boat, which is allocated for a point score over the entire carnival.

State Superintendent, Lionel McDonald and members of the Boards of Examiners conducted all events in a most efficient manner and are to be congratulated.

Next year's State Championships will be held at North Wollongong on March 12 and 13, 1966.

Results of N.S.W. Championships, Coogee, February 13 & 14, 1965:

<u>Senior R & R:</u>	1. Bondi.
<u>Junior R & R:</u>	1. Wanda; 2. Cronulla.
<u>Belt Race:</u>	1. T. Buck (Clovelly); 2. B. Rodgers (Maroubra); 3. A. Wood (Cronulla).
<u>Junior Belt:</u>	1. R. Green (Clovelly); 2. G. Rodgers (Clovelly).
<u>Senior Teams:</u>	1. Clovelly.
<u>Junior Teams:</u>	2. Clovelly.
<u>Open Surf:</u>	1. T. Buck (Clovelly).
<u>Junior Surf:</u>	1. R. Green (Clovelly).
<u>March Past:</u>	2. Cronulla; 3. North Bondi.
<u>Senior Boat:</u>	3. Cronulla, Caves Beach (dead-heat).
<u>Surf Board:</u>	1. D. Heussner, Maroubra.
<u>Single Ski:</u>	1. P. Coles (North Bondi); 3. B. Stuart (Sth Maroubra)
<u>Double Ski:</u>	1. P. Coles & D. McGuire (North Bondi).
<u>Beach Sprint:</u>	3. D. Maiden, (Coogee).
<u>Cadet Surf:</u>	2. L. Emery (Bondi).
<u>Musical Flags:</u>	1. J. Loader, (Tamarama).
<u>Chariot Race:</u>	3. Cronulla.
<u>Non-Championship Surf:</u>	3. L. Harris, (Bondi).
<u>Junior Non-Championship Surf:</u>	3. G. Rodgers (Clovelly).
<u>Viscount Boat:</u>	Clovelly.

AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS AND INTERSTATE CARNIVALS, SCARBOROUGH, W.A.,
March 13 & 14, 1965.

A large contingent of Sydney competitors travelled to Western Australia for the Australian Carnivals and again, the majority of results featured Sydney Clubs.

I am sure that all competitors and visitors were impressed by the

hospitality of the West Australians and the organisation of the Carnivals.

National Superintendent, Mr. Bob Brydon, and a large contingent of Boards of Examiners members conducted the events in a most praiseworthy manner and all were concluded without major incident.

Results of the Australian Championship Carnivals and also interstate contest are as under -

Australian Championships:

<u>Senior R & R:</u>	2. Bondi.
<u>Senior Belt:</u>	1. T. Buck (Clovelly).
<u>Junior Belt:</u>	1. R. Green (Clovelly).
<u>Senior Teams:</u>	2. Clovelly.
<u>Junior Teams:</u>	1. Clovelly.
<u>Surf Race:</u>	2. T. Buck (Clovelly).
<u>Junior Surf:</u>	1. R. Green (Clovelly).
<u>Junior Boat:</u>	2. North Bondi.
<u>Surf Board:</u>	3. D. Heussner (Maroubra).
<u>Single Ski:</u>	1. D. Green (Sth Maroubra); 2. P. Coles (Nth Bondi).
<u>Double Ski:</u>	1. P. Coles & D. McGuire (Nth Bondi); 2. D. Green & B. Stuart (Sth Maroubra).
<u>Musical Flags:</u>	1. J. Loader, (Tamarama).
<u>Pillow Fight:</u>	3. K. Brown (Bondi).
<u>Open Surf (Non-Championship):</u>	1. T. Buck (Clovelly).
<u>Open Junior Surf (Non-Championship):</u>	3. G. Rogers (Clovelly).

15-man State Team: N.S.W.: 2nd outright; 4th handicap.

National Titles:

<u>Boat Race:</u>	1. Cronulla.
<u>Surf Board:</u>	1. D. Heussner (Maroubra); 3. R. Moller (Nth Cronulla)
<u>Single Ski:</u>	1. D. Green (Sth Maroubra); 3. B. Trouville (Maroubra)
<u>Double Ski:</u>	3. D. Green & B. Stuart (South Maroubra).
<u>Open Surf:</u>	2. R. Hardie (Clovelly); 3. B. Elliott (Nth Cronulla).
<u>Beach Sprint:</u>	1. J. Loader (Tamarama).
<u>Chariot Race:</u>	2. Wanda; 3. Cronulla.

Future Australian Championship Carnivals:

The 1966 Championships will be held at Coolangatta on April 9 & 10.
The 1967 Championships will be held in South Australia.
The 1968 Championships will be held in N.S.W.
The 1969 Championships will be held in Tasmania.
The 1970 Championships will be held in Victoria.
The 1971 Championships will be held in Western Australia.
The 1972 Championships will be held in N.S.W.

U.S.A. TOUR.


At this time, the Australian team is touring the U.S.A. and competing in a series of contests. Sydney Branch is fortunate to have the calibre of competitors which enables us to have five of our members included in the team.

They are - Terry Buck (Clovelly)
Phil Coles (North Bondi)
Bob Green (Clovelly)
Dennis Heussner (Maroubra)
Barry Rodgers (Maroubra)

In addition, N.S.W. is also represented by R. Little of Wollongong.

Congratulations to these gentlemen and the other members of the team on their selection.

COMPETITIONS.




W.W. Campbell Reel:

During the Carnival season, points were allotted at all open carnivals for places in the March Past and the trophy for the competition was the fully equipped "W.W. Campbell Reel". It is some time since a competition of this nature has been held and the reel was won by Cronulla S.L.S.C. This Club has competed regularly and fully deserve their win.

Congratulations to the Club and thanks to W.W. Campbell for an interesting competition.

Placings were -	Cronulla	39 points
	Maroubra	35½ points
	Coogee	21½ points



D.C. Lucas Trophy:

Some seasons ago, Mr. Don Lucas donated a trophy for competition during the annual gear inspection of Club gear. The inspection of the gear by the Branch's Board of Examiners is a most important feature of our work, as it is essential the gear (a lot of it given by the public) be maintained to ensure that it is ready for immediate action and that it does not deteriorate through neglect.

Points are allotted for the condition of the gear and the trophy goes to the highest point scorer. Competition is keen and the eventual winners, Cronulla S.L.S.C., worked hard to ensure their win.

Results of the D.C. Lucas Gear Inspection Trophy were -

<u>Club</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Place</u>
Cronulla	99.19	1
North Cronulla	96.63	2
Bondi	96.15	3
Coogee	95.38	4
Wanda	95.00	5
Era	94.22	6
Bronte	93.56	7
Burning Palms	92.00	8
Clovelly	91.82	9
North Bondi	88.67	10
Tamarama	86.49	11
Garie	85.24	12
South Maroubra	82.29	13
Maroubra	64.80	14

Beach Football:

Although the competition is small, it is nevertheless keen and the credit must go to Mr. Frank Norton, the President of Bronte S.L.S.C. and Mr. Dick McPhillips for their continued interest.

This year the competition went to a grand final with Bronte running out the winners over North Bondi, the score being 9-6.

Winter activities keep the boys fit and the beach football competition is high on the list of ways to keep fit. It is hoped that it will continue for many years to come.

ALUMINIUM SURF BOAT.

Due mainly to the efforts of Ron Howells and George Challis of this Branch, Comalco Limited have produced an aluminium surf boat for use by the Clubs. At present only two have been produced and it is hoped that the economics of manufacture will permit more to be built.

The first boat was christened at the Cronulla Beach and the Cronulla S.L.S.C. have carried out extensive trials of the boat - the second is with the Team touring the U.S.A.

The boat has numerous advantages over the conventional construction, particularly in the area of maintenance. Comalco and Highgate Engineers, who actually built the boat, are to be congratulated and thanked for their efforts to improve a most necessary item of our equipment.

MALIBU BOARDS.

In consideration of the long and uphill efforts of this Branch to

have more Malibu Board competition introduced into the S.L.S.A., we are pleased to advise of the Australian Championships set down for Easter next.

At the National Council Meeting held in Perth, it was finally resolved that Malibu Board Australian Championships should be held at the time of the normal surfing championships.

LIFE MEMBERS.

The Branch Officers, Clubs and Delegates extend their sincere congratulations to John (Rooster) Vaughan for his elevation to Life Membership at the last Annual General Meeting. Few Officers have been more worthy and few elections more popular.

John has annexed this most coveted of honours from Sydney Branch and this would normally represent the conclusion of intensive surfing activity. However, we gain the impression that he has almost not begun and will continue his interest for years to come. Starting his surfing on the North Coast at Coffs Harbour, he later joined Coogee, Burning Palms and Cronulla Clubs and has continued his association with these three Clubs to the present day. He is currently Secretary of the Burning Palms Club, Secretary of the Board of Examiners and also Assistant Secretary of the Branch, not to mention Delegate to the N.S.W. State Centre.

The nomination of Ron Howells was successfully introduced into State Centre for Life Membership and we congratulate Ron for this honour afforded to him. Ron's association with lifesaving has been over many years and we trust we will have the benefit of his service and council for many years to come.

Life members of Sydney Branch are -

V. Besemo	A. Loton	A. Olson
A. Castleman	D. Lucas	A. Purcell
W. Crain	L. McDonald	E. Sier
Judge A. Curlewis	R. McKenna	H. Small
J. Dempster	J. McRorie	J. Switzer
W. Foerster	C. Mack	L. Turner
N. Hayton	J. Marsden	J. Vaughan
J. Hodge	T. Meagher	K. Watson
R. Howells	R. Michaelis	G. Williams
G. Johnson	T. Moran	V. Williams
G. Lindsay	R. Moroney	G. Wilson

LONG SERVICE AWARDS.

It is with great surprise and some hesitation we advise that the hold up with Long Service Awards has not been fully rectified in the concluding season.

The matter has received considerable discussion in the N.S.W. State Centre, Sydney Branch and National Council, in an attempt to have the situation clarified.

The National Council have refused to issue any further awards until the original issue is accounted for and some considerable time and effort has been necessary in State Centre to comply with this request.

We do trust that in the not too distant future we will again see the continuation of this award and have it elevated from the confusion and almost disrepute into which it has fallen.

FINANCE.

We are indeed fortunate to have continued with the services of the Branch Treasurer, Mr. Kevin Lonsdale, and the Assistant Treasurer, Mr. John Needham. These gentlemen have continued to carry out their duties to the highest possible standard and have been most watchful of all matters appertaining to finance.

It is of record that we will record a deficit of some £85 for the year and this is in comparison to the slender margin of £24 profit of the previous season. However, both these figures compare more than favourably with deficits of £300 and £400 per year, which were almost commonplace. It is obvious the Branch will have to seek some additional donors or supporters to give a more permanent stability to our financial structure.

Both Kevin and John were married during the season and we take this opportunity of extending to them our very best wishes.

The Treasurer's full report is included below for the information of member Clubs and the financial statements are at the back of this report.

Treasurer's Report:

I have pleasure in presenting for your approval the Balance Sheet as at June 30, 1965, and Income and Expenditure Statement for the year ended that date.

The Income and Expenditure Statement shows a loss of £85.11. 9 for the year, a little disappointing after making a small profit for the year ended June 30, 1964, of £24.13. 0, the first for many years.

The results are best explained by the Comparative Statement listed below showing increases and decreases as they occur.

Comparative Statement

	<u>1965</u>	<u>1964</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Decrease</u>
<u>Income -</u>				
Capitation Fees	386	346	40	-
Donations	103	157	-	54
Bank Interest	38	37	1	-
Examination Fees	123	111	12	-
N.S.W. Government Grant	319	255	64	-
Profit on Branch Championships	-	33	-	33
Carnival Charges	30	35	-	5
Sundry Income	8	2	6	-
Bad Debts Recovered	12	-	12	-
	<u>£ 1019</u>	<u>£976</u>	<u>£135</u>	<u>£92</u>
<u>Expenses -</u>				
General Expenses	20	4	16	-
Repairs & Maintenance	8	1	7	-
Instructional Expenses	47	85	-	38
Loss on Branch Championships	26	-	26	-
Bad Debts written off	-	39	-	39
Printing & Stationery	263	173	90	-
Postages	114	80	34	-
Telephone	82	53	29	-
Carnival Expenses, etc.	79	26	53	-
Depreciation	68	35	33	-
Loss on Social Functions	16	-	16	-
Rent	-	26	-	26
Loss on Sale, Office Furniture	-	48	-	48
	<u>£723</u>	<u>£570</u>	<u>£304</u>	<u>£151</u>

Thus we see that even though our net increase in income was £43, it was overridden by the increase in expenditure of £153, leaving a loss of £110 over last year.

It would seem that if this Branch is to retain its position, as giving a wide and informative service to its Clubs, a closer look at our finances in the coming year is warranted, especially in the field of donations, which dropped £54 for the year.

In conclusion, I would like to thank my fellow Branch Officers for their help and support, especially John Needham, the Assistant Treasurer and Gus Staunton, our very able Secretary. To the Presidents and members of the Clubs within our Branch, I would like to take this opportunity to thank them for their co-operation over the last season and to wish them all the best in the coming season.

K. Lonsdale, Hon. Treasurer.

OTHER BRANCHES.

The harmony between Sydney and the other Branches of N.S.W. has, we are pleased to report, been on the highest plane.

The Sydney Branch has successfully introduced many matters in State Centre and in all cases, has received sympathetic hearing and necessary support. Irrespective of the outcome, the relationships have, at all times, been convivial.

The most obvious of this support was the introduction of Open State Championships, a scheme which was jointly sponsored by Sydney and Manly-Warringah Branches and widely supported.

We extend to all Branches our best wishes for a successful season in 1966.

N.S.W. Branches, at the moment, are -

Far North Coast
North Coast
Mid North Coast
Lower North Coast
Newcastle District
Central Coast
Manly-Warringah
Sydney
Illawarra
Far South Coast

N.S.W. STATE CENTRE.

Following the indication before the last State Annual Meeting that the Secretary, Bruce Brewin, would not be seeking re-election, some concern and confusion existed.

We are pleased to advise that the elected Secretary, Norman Steele, has carried out his difficult duties in a most praiseworthy manner and has brought much credit to his position and the State Centre.

It is with regret that we note the State President, Mr. Tom Meagher, has not enjoyed the best of health for the latter part of the season and we congratulate him for the able manner in which he has executed his duties and trust he will soon be restored to the best of health.

To the other State Officers - Deputy President, Con Asmussen (Illawarra) - Superintendent, Lionel McDonald (Sydney & Manly-Warringah) - Treasurer, Ernie Lawler (Sydney) - and their assistants, we sincerely thank them for their efforts upon our behalf.

All State Centre meetings have been attended by Sydney Delegates or proxies and the wishes and instructions of the Council always carried out. Delegates to State Centre for the past season were John Vaughan and Gus Staunton, with Mr. W. Crain assisting on occasions as proxy.

To all gentlemen, our profound thanks.

NATIONAL COUNCIL.

The Sydney Branch successfully nominated the Honorary Secretary, Gus Staunton, as a National Delegate and, along with Con Asmussen, these gentlemen have represented N.S.W. in the national sphere.

It is futile to deny the open hostility towards N.S.W. or its Delegates which existed at the time of the Annual Meeting, but following the diligent work of the Delegates and especially the efforts of the State Secretary, Norman Steele, to keep all matters current, this position has steadily improved and the mid-yearly meeting in Western Australia was a great deal more harmonious.

National Council President, His Honour Judge Curlewis, has been absent overseas for the greater portion of the season, and we were to recently witness his return to these shores.

The absence of the President undoubtedly threw a great burden upon the Superintendent, Mr. Bob Brydon, and the Secretary/Treasurer, Mr. Ken Watson. Both these gentlemen, together with the Assistant Secretary, Mr. Kevin Weldon, and the other Officers and Advisors to the National Council, have carried out their duties to the high standard we have come to expect of them.

The affairs of National Council have been promulgated by way of regular bulletins and in such ways as possible, the Branch has dealt with and implemented these matters with our own Clubs.

REGISTRAR.

The Registrar team of previous seasons has remained unaltered and we count ourselves fortunate to have Messrs. Harry Brown and Bert Jordan as Registrar and Assistant Registrar respectively. Both these gentlemen are members of the North Cronulla S.L.S.C. and Mr. Brown occupies the position of President of that Club. The Registrar's position has, over recent years, had a degree of organisation which had not been evident on all occasions in the past. To these gentlemen, we extend a sincere thank you.

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION.

As in past seasons, the Branch Office has been located at the business of the Secretary, at 335 Illawarra Road, Marrickville.

Clubs are again reminded that all contact with the Association should

be at this Office and not direct to the State Centre or National Council. It should be well known that matters intended for State or National spheres should be first directed through the Branch Council. Valuable time is often lost by Clubs adopting any action to the contrary.

We are all indebted to Mrs. Joan Vaughan, wife of the Branch Assistant Secretary, for her untiring efforts on our behalf. Mrs. Vaughan is responsible for the preparation of all correspondence both from the Branch and the Board of Examiners and her attention to matters far beyond what would normally be expected has us all grateful.

The Association Office is open during normal business hours and phone enquiries may be directed to the Secretary of G.B. Staunton's, Mrs. Hellen Manewell.

Handbooks will also be available at the Association Office.

SYMPATHIES.

The President, Mr. A.R. Loton, Deputy President, Mr. D.C. Lucas, Branch Officers and member Clubs express their sincere condolences to all those members of the Association and our Clubs who have suffered bereavements throughout the concluding season.

THANKS AND APPRECIATION are extended to....

The Governments of the Commonwealth of Australia and the State of N.S.W. for their financial assistance to our Association.

Local Government bodies for their support to our Clubs and the Branch.

The business houses of B.P. Aust. Limited, Daily Mirror Newspapers, Radio Station 2SM and W.W. Campbell Pty. Ltd., and to all other parties and business houses mentioned previously in this report for their continued support and assistance throughout the season.

To the Eastern Suburbs and South Sydney Lifesavers Equipment Fund for their continued support of our Clubs in their area and we assure the gentlemen concerned that their tangible support is most appreciated.

Those licensed Clubs and other organisations who have assisted individual Clubs in the most tangible manner.

The Government Insurance Office for their efficient and sympathetic handling of our claims.

Mr. W.A.T. Crain, Hon. Legal Advisor to the National, State and Sydney spheres, who has carried out his duties to the very high

standard which has become expected of this gentleman. To Mr. Crain we are indebted for the drafting of all notices of motion, both internally in Sydney Branch and those intended for State and National Centres. Mr. Crain holds positions on a number of committees in N.S.W. and Sydney and his guidance and wise council is always sincerely appreciated.

The President, Mr. T. Meagher, Officers and members of the N.S.W. State Centre, for their individual assistance and co-operation throughout the season.

Judge Harvey Prior and the Committee of the Aquatic Club for many considerations and tangible assistance by providing at no charge venues for the Board of Examiners and Council meetings. Also to Mr. Wagstaff and his staff, we extend our gratitude.

Mr. Barry Regan, Branch Hon. Insurance Officer, for his efficient conducting of all matters appertaining to insurance.

Our Points Recorders, Messrs. Bert Jordan and Keith Messenger, for their efficient recording of points accrued throughout the season.

Mr. Monty George, for his efforts in the field of publicity.

Our Auditor, Mr. A. Smith, for his precise and able audit of our books.

To all those members and committees of the Branch who carried out their duties in a most efficient manner.

Before concluding, I would extend my personal thanks and I am sure the thanks of the Branch to our President, Mr. Alf Loton, who has given his ready assistance and capable guidance on so many occasions. To Don Lucas, our Deputy President, we are also indebted for his continued assistance and take the opportunity of congratulating him upon his achievements in the field of local government. To my Assistant Secretary, Mr. John Vaughan, I extend my appreciation for his personal attention and individual assistance on a large number of occasions.

Finally, to all Association Officers, Club Delegates, Secretaries and members who, by their ready assistance have contributed to the efficient conducting of Sydney Branch affairs.

On behalf of the Branch Council,

G.B. STAUNTON

Honorary Secretary, Sydney Branch,
S.L.S.A. of A.

PRESIDENT'S ADDENDUM

It would appear that the standard of administration on the Branch level has continued to be of the highest and I would like to thank all Officers of the Branch, especially the Hon. Secretary Gus Staunton, for the work they have performed.

A.R. LOTON, President,
Sydney Branch, S.L.S.A. of A.

CLUBS, RESCUES, AWARDS, CLUB GEAR, MEMBERSHIP

SYDNEY BRANCH, SEASON 1964-65

Clubs	Rescues					First Aid	Awards						Approx. Value Club Gear £	Membership					
	With line	With boat	Other gear	Without line	Total		Bronze	Instructors	Q.C.	Grand Total to date				Active	Reserve Active	Cadet	Associate	Others	Total
										Bronze	Instr.	Q.C.							
North Bondi	43	-	7	37	87	1	38	9	10	1156	187	130	2000	139	170	5	175	51	540
Bondi	236	3	-	158	397	8	33	7	17	1207	259	314	2400	134	151	39	131	87	542
Tamarama	166	-	4	3	173	53	43	8	-	432	62	68	350	124	35	1	40	50	250
Bronte	20	-	2	9	31	4	22	5	2	978	154	106	400	178	87	5	14	30	314
Clovelly	2	-	2	58	62	230	11	8	21	557	103	88	2000	104	26	25	76	90	221
Coogee	26	-	-	26	52	85	23	7	2	1326	185	185	1000	123	113	-	254	16	506
Maroubra	210	-	76	-	286	83	21	3	3	966	174	99	1500	187	146	32	85	35	485
Sth Maroubra	43	2	6	67	118	31	5	2	1	60	8	6	307	37	3	14	13	24	91
Wanda	20	-	-	23	43	-	42	4	9	407	67	98	433	138	52	23	9	37	259
Nth Cronulla	32	9	-	41	82	-	36	4	8	1112	220	184	4844	135	45	13	20	69	282
Cronulla	18	2	3	30	53	-	23	6	22	1208	223	288	2524	121	104	30	77	211	543
Garie	47	3	4	13	67	132	5	-	-	210	45	21	700	55	15	-	2	57	129
Era	4	-	1	9	14	89	15	3	3	203	46	16	1500	50	2	4	53	28	137
Burning Palms	12	-	-	15	27	18	4	2	1	104	14	8	740	36	-	-	61	5	102
Total:	879	19	105	489	1492	734	321	68	99	9926	1747	1591	20698	1561	949	191	1010	790	4501

SURF LIFE SAVING ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

SYDNEY BRANCH

STATEMENT NO.1

BALANCE SHEET, as at JUNE 30, 1965.

<u>Our Assets were -</u>	1965 £	1964 £
<u>Current Assets:</u>		
Stock on hand (Handbooks at cost)	8.18. 0	-
Cash on hand	20. 0. 0	17.16. 1
Cash at Bank - Commonwealth Savings Bank		
Current Account	701.10.10	766.19. 6
Jubilee Appeal Account	596.18. 8	577.18.10
Sundry Debtors	191. 1. 0	76.11. 9
<u>Fixed Assets:</u>		
Stop Watches, Binoculars and Carnival		
Gear (at cost, less depreciation)	136. 0. 0	141. 0. 0
Office Furniture and Fittings (at cost		
less depreciation)	30. 0. 0	43. 0. 0
	<u>£1,684. 8. 6</u>	<u>£1,623. 6. 2</u>
<u>From which must be deducted our</u>		
<u>Current Liabilities -</u>		
Sundry Creditors	<u>201. 1. 6</u>	<u>54. 7. 5</u>
	<u>£1,483. 7. 0</u>	<u>£1,568.18. 9</u>
<u>This is represented by Accumulated Funds:</u>		
Balance June 30, 1964	1,568.18. 9	1,544. 5. 9
Less: Excess of Expenditure over Income		
(as per Statement No.2)	<u>85.11. 9</u>	<u>24.13. 0 Cr.</u>
	<u>£1,483. 7. 0</u>	<u>£1,568.18. 9</u>
 A.R. Loton	 G.B. Staunton	 K. Lonsdale
President	Hon.Secretary	Hon.Treasurer

HONORARY AUDITOR'S REPORT

I report to the members of the Surf Life Saving Association of Australia, Sydney Branch, that I have examined the books, accounts, and other records of the Sydney Branch and have obtained all the information and explanations required by me. In my opinion the above Balance Sheet and Income and Expenditure Statement are properly drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the above Association, as at June 30, 1965.

North Bondi, August 16, 1965.

Allan G. Smith, Chartered Accountant.
Honorary Auditor.

SURF LIFE SAVING ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

SYDNEY BRANCH

STATEMENT NO.2

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1965

<u>Our Income was -</u>	1965 £	1964 £
Affiliation Fees	140. 0. 0	140.10. 0
Capitation Fees	385.10. 0	345.12. 0
Donations	102.14. 0	157. 1. 0
Bank Interest	38. 3.10	36.19. 4
Examination Fees	122.16. 0	111. 4. 6
N.S.W. State Government Grant	318.15. 0	255. 0. 0
Profit on Branch Championships	-	32.14. 4
Carnival Charges	30. 0. 0	35. 0. 0
Sundry Income	8. 8. 0	1.13.10
Bad Debts Recovered	12. 0. 0	-
	<u>£1,158. 6.10</u>	<u>£1,115.15. 0</u>

From which must be deducted our Expenses -

General Expenses	19.19. 0	4. 3. 0
Repairs and Maintenance	7.14. 6	1. 8. 9
Instructional Expenses	47. 2.11	84.12. 8
Loss on Branch Championships	26. 3. 4	-
Bad Debts written off	-	39. 2. 9
Printing and Stationery	262.16. 8	172.15.10
Postages	113.15. 8	80. 6. 1
Secretarial Allowance	520. 0. 0	520. 0. 0
Telephone	81.18. 4	52.11.10
Insurance	1.13. 0	1.13. 0
Carnival Expenses & Subsidies	78.18. 6	25.11. 6
Depreciation	68. 0. 0	35. 2. 3
Loss on Social Functions	15.16. 8	-
Rent	-	26. 0. 1
Loss on Sale of Office Furniture & Fittings	-	47.14. 3
	<u>£1,243.18. 7</u>	<u>£1,091. 2. 0</u>

Leaving an Excess of Expenditure
over Income, which is deducted from
Accumulated Funds on Statement No.1

<u>£85.11. 9</u>	<u>£24.13. 0</u>
Loss	Profit

